## REPORT

Of the Committee on the Public Lands, on the petition of George Pearson, accompanied with a bill for his relief.

## JANUARY 16, 1818.

Read, and with the bill committed to a committee of the whole House on Monday nexts

The Committee on the Public Lands, to whom was referred the petition of George Pearson, respectfully

## REPORT:

That the petitioner appears to have been entitled to 5,000 acres of land, purchased by him from the state of Georgia, out of lands reserved in the Georgia Company's purchase, for the benefit of the citizens of the said state.

That the petitioner was unable to avail himself of the provisions of the several acts of Congress, while they were in force, under which he might have had relief, in consequence of having lost or mislaid his certificate; the committee therefore respectfully submit a bill for his relief.

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